

# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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ONE CENT

## SONS OF ST. GEORGE WILL CONVENE HERE

State Meeting of Order  
to Open in Charleroi  
Next Tuesday

## PRECEDENT IS BROKEN

"Governor's Town" Selected  
for Convention in Prefer-  
ence to Larger Cities

Because they wanted to come to "the town of the governor", Sons of St. George from all over Pennsylvania will be entertained here next week in their biennial convention. One hundred delegates and visitors are expected. The last convention was held in Philadelphia, where it was decided to break the precedent of going to the larger cities and towns for their convention and come to Charleroi.

The sessions of the convention will open Tuesday at Turner Hall. Coroner James T. Heffran, of Speers who is a member of Tom Bowlin Lodge, No. 366, of Charleroi, the entertaining order will make the welcoming address which will be responded to by one of the State officers. The convention will probably last four days.

Approximately 80 lodges in the State of Pennsylvania will be represented at the convention. In addition to delegates there will be a number of visitors from other states. The first of the incoming host is expected to arrive not later than Sunday night, when the grand president and probably other of the State officials will be here.

Tom Bowlin Lodge, No. 366 of Charleroi has a membership of about 120. The territory represented in the order is that from Roscoe to Webster. M. Wilson of Charleroi is the president; William Meyers, of Belle Vernon the vice president; John Wright, of Altenport the recording secretary and John Laverick, of Dunlevy is the financial secretary. C. Wildman is the past president. The order is composed of men of English descent.

One of the features of the convention will be a banquet which will be held on Wednesday evening. This banquet will be the only event of the sessions that will in any sense be open to outsiders. The wives of the members or lady friends, or men contemplating joining the order will be welcomed.

## CHURCH PEOPLE TENDER SURPRISE TO THEIR PASTOR

Several of the Donora parishioners of Rev. E. G. Stanley of the Donora and Charleroi Baptist churches tendered Rev. and Mrs. Stanley a surprise Tuesday evening. During the afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Stanley entertained two of the Donora folks, and at their request took them to the playgrounds. When they returned they found the house occupied much to their consternation. A pleasant evening was spent with social conversation.

The happy conspirators brought along plenty of edibles and made the dining table fairly groan. They returned home about 11 o'clock by trolley car.

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## RUNNING INTERURBAN CARS BY TELEPHONE INNOVATION PLANNED

Pittsburg Railways Company Representatives Well Pleased With System in West--Company to Put Idea Into Effect

As the result of a recent visit to the same as though there were double tracks. Mr. Eibs and Mr. Marshall were sent west by the railways company to view the workings of the dispatching system by telephone and to observe whatever innovations the western lines have made. Mr. Eibs said:

"We visited in Columbus, Indianapolis, Peoria, Chicago, Toledo, Detroit, and Cleveland of the larger cities and took side trips through parts of Ohio, Illinois and Michigan. We traveled the most of the time on interurban lines, observing things and visiting trolley men. We found that the telephone dispatching system worked well and believe we could copy with good results. Many of the western lines have but one track and the operating is done by telephone. It will probably take some time for the Pittsburg Railways Company to get a system perfected like the western lines have, but it is the intention I believe to hasten its adoption here."

## CALIFORNIA MAY BE FUTURE SITE CHILDREN'S HOME

Normal School Must Have Children to Teach or Lose State Appropriation--Contract With Borough Expires

That within the next year there will be made an effort to have the children's home of this county, now located near the county home at Arden, removed to California is altogether probable, is the assertion of the Washington Record. It states that although the Normal officials are not talking concerning the matter, they admit that such a move would be of great advantage to that school.

It is stated that California Normal will have to face shortly a situation that may, if a remedy is not provided, result finally in the closing of the famous old institution.

According to the school regulations of the State in order for the Normal to secure State support which is necessary for its continuation there must be enrolled in the model school in which the teachers are trained at least 100 pupils. For many years past the Normal School has had

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## J. V. THOMPSON CONCERNED IN BIG COAL DEAL

J. V. Thompson, the Uniontown financier has figured in the biggest coal deal in the history of Greene county, of which announcement was made this week when a deed was filed for the transfer of 1,100 acres of coal in Monongahela township that county. Thompson sells the coal to the Poland Coal company for \$880,000. It is said that the coal property will be developed immediately. The coal land fronts on the Monongahela river, near Greensboro, and the new line of the Monongahela railroad which is just being completed, runs through the property. About 25 acres of surface are included in the deal. It is supposed the coal will be shipped by river when the opening is made.

Married Here Today. Miss Jennie Dolfe, daughter of Mrs. Anna Dolfe, of Washington, and Guy Rosini, of Dunlevy, were quietly married this morning at 9 o'clock at Mother of Sorrows Italian Catholic church, with requiem high mass. The couple are well known Italian people.

Special at the Star. Another "101 Bison" feature, "The Colonel's Peril," Thursday at the Star.

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## MASSIVE BRIDGE SPAN IS PUT IN POSITION

## Contract Let For Paving

Charleroi Firm Secures \$7,  
000 Job at Bentleyville--  
Three Months Limit

The contract for the paving of Washington street leading off Main street at Bentleyville, for a distance of 1200 feet has been let to Piper and Hastings of Charleroi, for \$7,048.45. Work will be started within ten days and completed in three months. There were five bidders for the work but Piper and Hastings were the lowest. The other bids were: Frank Manella, Pittsburgh, \$8,279.12; Forrest Construction company, Washington, \$11,580.45; Reitsch Brothers, Washington, \$7,607.52; Donora Construction company, \$8,312.39.

## WRITERS GUESTS AT PARK

Newspaper Men Entertained at Dinner by Eldora Management

## HAVE SOCIAL GOOD TIME

Twenty newspaper men comprising the Monongahela Valley Press Association and a number of specially invited guests were entertained by the Eldora Amusement company at a supper at Eldora Park Tuesday evening. Tom P. Sloan, manager of Eldora Park and Roy S. Sharpnick, assistant manager acted as hosts.

Seasonable delicacies, the most seasonable of which was ground hog, prepared under the capable direction of Mrs. Sloan and fit to set before a king, were provided for the newspaper palate, and before the hungry onslaught disappeared with amazing rapidity. Nothing was wanting, the finest of ice cream and cake topping off the meal.

Before the supper the party had a merry time. Goodloe Thomas of the Friday Evening Call, and Joe T. S. Cowan, of the Roscoe Ledger, threw off their dignity to such an extent that they took a trip down the bamboo slide. Thomas who, it is alleged, is a politician thought it not politic to go down the second time, but Cowan, safe in his position as "the man who cops the Washington county printing," went down the slide several times, much to his own gratification and that of the admiring spectators.

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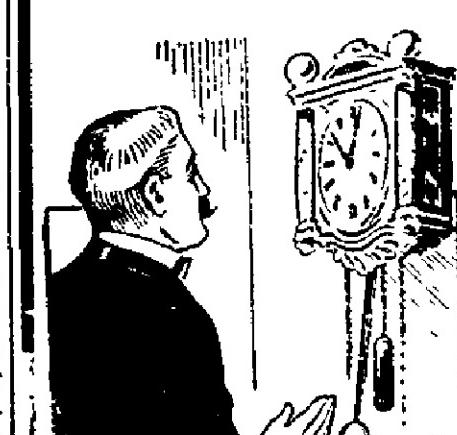
## Automobile Bargain, \$650.00.

1910 model 17 Buick, 4 doors, 5-passenger Touring Car. Painted brown by Glesenkamp, Pittsburgh, last fall. Cost fully equipped \$22,00.00. Can be bought at \$650.00. Inquire at once, Bell phone 67-R, D. H. Borland, Monongahela, Pa. 307-2t

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sertion.

## LOCAL AGENCIES

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## July 31 In American History.

1802—Captain John Ericsson, inventor,

designer and builder of the iron-

clad Monitor, born in Sweden; died

in New York 1889.

1816—General George H. Thomas,

known as the "Rock of Chicka-

mauga," born in Virginia; died in

San Francisco 1870.

1871—Phoebe Cary, poet, died; born

1824.

1910—John G. Carlisle, Kentucky

statesman and secretary of the

treasury under President Cleve-

land; died; born 1835.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 7:16, rises 4:56. Evening

stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter.

Morning star: Saturn.

## CORN IS KING

The spell of heat which made mil-

lions of us sweat and swear made the

corn grow. And not wheat, but corn,

is our great crop. This year we are

likely to have a bountiful supply of it.

The sun is worthy of the praise.

Corn is our king and it is raised

with best fertility out in the West.

Pennsylvania has a fair corn record

and has two counties, Lancaster and

Delaware, which are unsurpassed in

productive power throughout the land.

The black loam of Kansas—the

prairie soil that courses through the

Mississippi—is what corn wants. The

silt of ages nourishes the seed and the

stalks grow to extraordinary height;

but the yield per acre is not so

great.

Of all cereals corn is the king. But

corn can be made to grow in the East

as well as in the West. The best of

wheat is of a Siberian seed—the

durum kind; the Spring wheat which

furnishes us our main supply. And

wheat is a product of corn. The

Bible calls corn, wheat. England

does so to this day. Indian maize

is unknown abroad.

Yet the royal food so necessary to

our democratic porker is king in the

commerce of the country.—Philadelphia

Press.

## CULTURE

The only panacea for the evils that

beset the human race is morally and

only with a higher and better devel-

opment of the individual. Culture

means appreciation of the best peo-

ple and the best things, and without

culture there can be no genuine

contentment.

Our present American civilization

is stuffed to the bursting point with

false standards. The average man

and woman seems to think that the

degree of individual happiness is only to be increased by the extent of

the amount of pleasure one can afford. To

have a number of automobiles of the

latest designs, to own a yacht, visit

fashionable resorts and try to aston-

ish the people by richness of raiment

and extravagance of splendors, is

the ambition of the vulgar. All that

is needed to attain that sort of "cul-

ture" is the money.

But these are not the things that

people of true culture enjoy. The

real blessings of life are not expen-

sive. To admire the people and ap-

preciate talents to become engrossed

with a good book, a great poem

or the like, or nature, to revel

in the tumultuous thoughts suggest-

ed by astronomy, geology and evolu-

tion; to take an active interest in

the improvement of mankind in gen-

eral and your community in par-

ticular; to enjoy music and art, and

to watch with interest the advance-

of civilization, this is culture. It is

the only culture that will bring con-

tentment and cheerfulness.

"The sheriff and his assistants

fixed everything up for me and hand-

ed me \$350. I looked at them aghast.

"Well, this seems to be \$50 short,"

suggested.

"Oh, if you are going to make a

stink abou' it like that, I guess you'll

have to wait four years until the

affair goes through court!

"I conferred with my correspondent

and found that the sheriff would do

as we said. It was up to me either to

take the \$350 and get out, or wait

probably four years while the courts

got their wheels of justice oiled up,

I was informed that in a case of the

kind four years was a fair average.

In fact it looked to me as though

I was simply being held for \$50,

which was to be divided at the word

of the sheriff.

"Following my sheriff's office ex-

perience," continued Mr. Hazzard,

"I concluded I would take in the thea-

tre. Accordingly I got on a street

car. The car was packed. Hardly

had I grabbed a strap before a boy

pulled at my coat.

"I'll give you my seat for a

nickle, Mister," he said.

"There it was again. I got to the

theatre, and was able to purchase

my standing room. A moment

after the show started, an usher in

a young woman standing by my side,

a brilliant uniform stepped up to a

whispered something. She turned to me.

"Did you hear what he said?" she

inquired. I had not.

"He said for 50 cents each he

could get us seats in the balcony.

"I tell you," concluded Mr. Hazzard,

"there is no use talking. New

York is honeycombed with graft. It's

a disease that everybody there seems

to have or else be very familiar with."

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The Only Way

If he comes to borrow ten,

I am out.

Tell him, office boy, again,

I am out.

It's the only way to win,

## JOHN W. GATES AND THE CAB

Little Gambling Episode in Which "Watch-Me" Was Able to Say "You Lose" Three Times.

A Gates anecdote that never got so far as it deserved, if it was true, was about his riding down town from a New York hotel in a cab with a stock market friend.

"I'll match you," said John Watch-me, "to see whether you or I buy this horse and cab from the driver, if it's his."

It was cabby's, so they matched, and John Watch-me had the satisfaction of saying, "You lose." The bargain struck, John Watch-me had another proposition to offer the new owner.

"Now I'll match you," he said, "to see whether you keep the profit or whether you sell it back to cabby at his own price." And once more John Watch-me said, "You lose."

Here it dawned upon Gates' companion that in the last match John Watch-me had stood no chance to lose, whichever way it went, and he made remarks.

"All right," said John Watch-me, "I'll match you to see whether you or stand the difference between the buying and the selling price." For what he had just sold cabby would only give a buying price that was just \$100 less. This was the stake in the last match, and for the third time John Watch-me was able to say, "You lose."

## TWO MULES WITH HISTORY

The Only Hybrids in the Geographical Service Are Sent to Kauai.

Two mules with a history were shipped down to W. B. Hardy on the Island of Kauai recently. He is carrying on the work of the geographical and water research branch of the department there, and it was found that animal transportation was the only way to meet the difficulties.

There were only two mules in that branch of the service and they were over in California. Likewise Hardy was the man who worked them over there when he was on the mainland. Now he and his friends will be re-united on Kauai.

The work of the department on that island is arduous owing to the fact that where the water runs are not always roads. Accordingly, some means have to be found by which the investigator could get about. He has a saddle and pack and can ride the mules as far as he can get them over the tracks, and then do the rest of the work on foot. The work necessitates constant traveling of a rough sort—Honolulu Bulletin.

## MEASURING FISH BY THE EYE

It is Guesswork and Most Men Go Far Astray as to the Length.

Not every man can measure fish accurately by eye. Many people are apt to make their guess too big, and then there are many who, misled by the tapering head and the diminishing tail end of the fish, are apt to make it too small.

Here was a little bunch of men out fishing for blues, and presently one pulled in a handsome and fair-sized fish. Then somebody started guessing at the length of it and one guessed two feet and another four and still another three feet. Then a man in the boat who was familiar with fishes glanced at this blue and said that he guessed it would measure two feet and a half; whereupon a man in the party who had a tape measure in his pocket got that out and put the tape on the fish; and it actually measured 31 inches.

There was just one man in the boat who could measure a fish accurately by the eye.

A Nautical Christening.

Some years ago a slow sailing vessel, when some 600 miles from Liverpool, picked up a lusty youngster of five years lashed to a mast.

The captain took a great liking to him, called him his son and decided that the little chap must be christened—one of the few things which he knew must be attended to in the case of children.

Of course there was no chaplain aboard, so the captain himself undertook the ceremony. He gathered the men about him, and with a mixed knowledge of his duties, he glared about him and asked whether any one knew just cause why the boy should not be christened.

"If there is," he roared, "speak up like a man or forever hold your tongue."

Then he suddenly cracked a bottle of wine over his head and christened him.

The ocean waif is now settled down—a steady longshoreman, but he still relates with satisfaction the story of his christening.

Help for the Machinist.

The machinist who uses shaper and milling machines knows the difficulty when making small parts of squaring thin pieces on account of the trouble encountered in setting the piece squarely while tightening the vise.

To escape these trials, take a piece of thin steel of proper length and breadth, harden, and magnetize. Place this against the fixed jaw of the vise and it will adhere firmly. When the work is brought in contact with it, the small piece will also adhere and the vise can be clamped to the best advantage. The face of the magnetized strip should be kept free of chips and should be recharged frequently.

## ODD WAYS OF THE COMMONS

Illustrated by the Immortal Peril of Mr. Pearce, Who Read Newspaper During Session.

A member of the British parliament remarks in London Opinion that the rules of the house of commons are past all understanding, and then proceeds to cite the case of Mr. Pearce, M. P., and the imminent danger in which he one day appeared to be. This was when the sergeant-at-arms, with his terrible sword in hand, rose from his chair and rushed with cyclonic speed in the direction of the mild meek and altogether unconscious-of-offense member. It was quickly made clear what was the cause of this hasty saber charge by the sergeant. Mr. Pearce had actually been reading a newspaper, and there is no more heinous offense known to parliament. The members when in the chamber are not permitted to read newspapers for any purpose not immediately connected with the debate actually in progress, though one may succeed in doing it surreptitiously by folding the newspaper small and concealing it behind the order paper of the day, much like a boy may nibble at an apple in school, concealing the pipping behind his spelling book. Yet more gross breaches of parliamentary etiquette and decorum may be seen, members even wearing their hats when a fellow member is addressing the house, and even the dearest friends of an orator may go to sleep while he is delivering his choicest periods.

Lamentable Apathy.

In Japan all kinds of Christians are lamenting the religious stagnation that seems to have seized on the country.

says a writer in America, a Roman Catholic paper. Of the 65,000 Catholics, 40,000 are descendants of the converts of the seventh century, and the Greek Catholics have only 20,000 followers. After 40 years of evangelization there are only somewhere between 80,000 and 100,000 Protestants of all sects," says the writer, who adds that the Japanese are not irreligious, but "like other peoples they are suffering from the religious apathy and unconcern of the times. Just as in Europe and America, the modern Japanese adore the golden calf and, as elsewhere, are struggling for money and place, the natural result of the adoption of a materialistic civilization."

Wellesley College in Lead.

Wellesley college is said to have more graduates in the mission field than any other woman's college in this country. Gertrude Chandler, of the class of 1879, now Mrs. Myhoff, was the first Wellesley missionary in the field. She went to Bombay immediately after taking her degree in the first class graduated from Wellesley. The college is represented in the mission field of every country in Asia with the single exception of Korea. There are Wellesley missionaries scattered through South America, Spain, the Philippines, Mexico and Africa.

Interested in American System.

While visiting Vienna recently, the ex-shah of Persia, Mahomet Ali, devoted much time to the inspection of great business and manufacturing establishments, and on one of these tours, made under the guidance of a large manufacturer, and with little Prince Mahomet Mirza, they were joined at the office of a newspaper by an American with whom the ex-monarch entered into earnest conversation. He was deeply interested in what the American told him about commercial affairs in the United States, but what interested him most, said one of the party, was "our election system, as to which he made searching inquiry."

Like a Dream to Her.

Margaret Andoux, the Paris dressmaker, whose book has attracted the attention of great scholars all over the world, worked at her trade for the sum of 60 cents a day. She left the country and went to Paris with but a few cents in her pocket, and considered herself lucky to have arrived at the dignity of something over half a dollar a day wage. Her book, "Marte Claire," made her several thousand dollars, and now the poor dressmaker may rest from her labors for a while.

Pomades and Hair Oils.

Some people have such dry hair that they are obliged to use pomades to prevent it from breaking off.

The use of liquid vaseline is highly recommended.

Inferior pomatums cause or hasten the loss of hair. Therefore, unless you can procure the very best from a well-known druggist, prepare them yourself.

The grease and the oils which are used, to be preserved from growing rancid, must go through a suitable process. Put in a brain-marie 200 grams of fat or marrow, with six grams of powdered benzoin and six grams of pulverized balm of oil. Stir constantly with a wooden spatula. After two hours of hard boiling, strain through a bit of linen. Benzoic acid possesses the quality of preventing the fat to which it has been added from becoming rancid.

Fine Winter Vegetable.

We are only just now beginning to have skirrets in our market. This vegetable is an Asiatic one, being known to China and India. It has been a favorite in Europe and especially in Paris for 25 years, and has tuberous clustered roots, very white and sweet, and when served with butter they are delicious. It is a most desirable winter vegetable.

## Woman and Her Check.

She was brisk and full of business as she hustled into the bank, stepped to a desk, indorsed a check and then handed it in at the paying teller's window.

"You see, I've indorsed it and come to the right window the very first time," she said with a beaming smile. "We women are getting to know a little about banking."

"That's very true, indeed, madam," said the teller, "but this check is not signed by any one."

"Well, I just got it from my husband. He's in Chicago. Here's his letter, telling that he is enclosing it."

"That's all good enough, madam, but the check itself must be signed."

"Here's his name on the letter. Can't you cut it off and paste it on the check?"

It took the teller some time to explain and we still wonder if she doesn't think he just didn't want her to have the money.

Rise in Russian Lakes.

During the last 20 years the lakes of Russian Central Asia have shown a steady rise of water-level. Within this period, or since 1885, the Sea of Aral has risen about six and a half feet. The phenomenon has accompanied a period of agmentation of rainfall.

## Question of Disposition.

Dissatisfied Patron—Gentle disposition! Why, he wants to bite the head off every dog he meets. I've been swindled!" Dog Merchant—"You didn't ought to keep dogs at all, mister. The animals you ought to keep with your temperament is silkworms!"—Punch.

## A Dog Hotel.

Beef bone broth and good, sound food are served in warm, well-aired rooms to the half a hundred or so dogs in the British dogs' hotel, near Southampton, where the board of agriculture takes care for a certain length of time of all dogs brought into Britain, so as to make sure that hydrophobia does not creep in.

## The Cat Tail.

The cat tail of the American swamp is almost exactly the same plant as the Egyptian bullrush. It is no longer used for making paper as it once was, but from its roots is prepared an astrigent medicine, and its stems are used for the manufacture of mats, chair-bottoms and the like.

## COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvain, President Judge, (term expires January, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad Law Judge, (term expires January 1916.)

Prothonotary—A. V. Lewis, Donors, 1916.

Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart McDonald, 1916.

Register of Wills—Boyd C. Marshall, Washington, 1916.

Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland, Washington, 1914.

Commissioner—John A. Berry, County Controller—John H. Moffit, Charleroi, 1914.

Sheriff—R. G. Lutton, Washington, 1916.

District Attorney—Richard G. Miller, Washington, 1916.

Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monongahela, 1916.

Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Union township, 1916; A. P. Barnum, Allegheny port, 1916.

Supt of Schools—L. R. Cramrin, Washington, 1914.

Coroner—James Heffran, Speer, 1916.

Director of the Poor—H. D. Brownell, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W. Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan, Washington, 1914.

Jury Commissioner—John W. Daigle, West Bethlehem; William Barkley, Nottingham.

County Surveyor—George S. Cherry, Washington, 1906.

County Detective—William McCrary, Monongahela, 1916.

Assembly—John Banks Holland, Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charleroi, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Monongahela, 1912.

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# CLEARANCE PRICES ON Summer Necessities

Our July Clearance Sale offers everyone an opportunity to make their dollars work double time.

Our large line of Ladies' and Children's Parasols are all reduced one-fourth to one-third and they run in price from 19c to 4.00; reduced prices range from 12½c to \$3.00

Our line of Vudor Re-inforced Hammocks is easily the best in the valley. Priced 1.75 to 6.00; reduced prices \$1.15 to \$4.75

Grass Mattings, 50c, 60c and 90c; reduced to, a yard, 35c, 40c, 65c So low that you need not leave your porch floor uncovered.

Grass Rugs, all sizes, priced 45c to 9.75. Clearance prices range from 29c to \$6.95

## J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

S. & H. STAMPS

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LUTHERANS LET  
WASHINGTONS WIN  
GAME BY DEFAULT

When the time was called for the game at the ball park Tuesday night between the Washington Avenue Presbyterians and the Lutherans, but five players responded for the latter team, and the game was forfeited to the Washington Avenue newspaper men. At the conclusion of the game was arranged by which spectators were entertained.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.  
W. A. Pres. 9—Lutherans 0.

Standing of Clubs.

W L P

Catholics .....	7	2	.777
W. A. Pres .....	5	3	.625
First Pres .....	7	3	.600
Episcopal .....	4	4	.500
Methodists .....	4	5	.444
Baptists .....	4	5	.444
Lutherans .....	3	7	.300
Christians .....	3	7	.300

Games This Week.

Tuesday—Washington Avenues vs. Lutherans.

Wednesday—Catholics vs. Episcopalians.

Thursday—Christians vs. Catholics.

Friday—Methodists vs. Baptists.

### JOE BELL

Best shoemaker in town. All work guaranteed. When 70% of work is done, you get a pair of shoes repaired free.

50¢ Fifth St., • • • Charleroi, Pa.

Shoes repaired while you wait.

### WRITERS GUESTS AT ELDORA PARK

(Continued from first page)

As honor guests Fred Eibs, superintendent of the Washington and Charleroi divisions of the Pittsburgh Railways company, J. E. McCurdy, press representative of the company and C. R. Buchanan, local superintendent, were present, and mixed with the newspaper men. At the conclusion of the supper, the party adjourned to the summer home of Manager Shear, a cottage situated on the park grounds, and there spent the rest of the evening having a social time.

### MISSIONARY CIRCLE MEETS; YOUNG WOMEN PLAN WINTER WORK

The Young Ladies' Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church were entertained at the home of the Misses Jean and Marie Whitehead on Prospect avenue Tuesday evening, when they held their regular monthly meeting. The meeting was led by Miss Genevieve Nutt, who was assisted by Misses Ethel Kendrick, Marguerite Whitlatch, Emma Clutter, Bertha Planton, Minnie Elliott and Elma Collins. A reading was given by Miss Ruth Barnum, of California, who has been a student at the School of Expression at Boston, Mass. A lunch was served. The circle is preparing for a campaign of active work which they hope to undertake the coming winter.

306-15

### PREDICTION TRUE; COAL CENTRE MAN RETURNS IN BOX

His prediction that he would be brought home in a box was verified today when the body of Joseph Berkenska was brought to Coal Center. He dropped dead at Dunkirk, O., Monday night. He was born in California 65 years ago. His final words before leaving Coal Center April 1 were: "I expect when I come back again I will be brought in a box."

### CHOIR ORGANIZES FOR ENSUING YEAR

Dr. and Mrs. Wright entertained the members of the choir of the First Baptist church and a few outside friends at their home on Fallowfield avenue Tuesday evening, during which time the choir effected an organization for the ensuing year. A. G. Lewis was elected president; Mrs. C. C. Wright, vice president; Mrs. Samuel Corbet, secretary, and Miss Clara Cooper treasurer. A music committee consisting of A. G. Lewis, Mrs. Wright and D. C. Whitlatch was appointed, and also a rules committee to consist of Mrs. C. O. Frye, Benjamin Harris, and Floyd Chalfant. A social good time was enjoyed, and an appetizing lunch was served.

Fresh milk 8 cents a quart, skim milk 10 cents a gallon, butter milk 5 cents per quart or 15 cents per gallon, at Oranges. 306-15

## TEACHING CORPS COMPLETE NOW

Three Are Elected to Regular Positions in the Charleroi Schools

## NEW HIGH SCHOOL MAN

All vacancies in the teaching force of the Charleroi Schools have now been filled, the school board at its regular meeting held Tuesday evening, electing the last teachers. One of them was a High School teacher.

Paul T. Landis, who was a teacher in the High School last year, and one of the most popular instructors the local school ever had tendered his resignation, which was accepted. Mr. Landis will engage in other work elsewhere. To succeed him Clyde Haines, of Allenport was elected.

Two grade teachers were elected: Miss Margaret McAllister, of Roscoe and Miss Laura B. Kahl, of Finleyville. At a previous meeting held a few days ago, Miss Sprawls, of Midway and Miss Margaret Fallow of Roscoe, were elected to places. It is expected that the entire list of teachers, together with the grades in which they will teach will be announced in a few days.

Little was done by the school board except to elect the three new teachers. The new school building was discussed to some extent. A. P. Cooper, the architect was not present, and the discussion of new school matters was brief.

Miss Harriet Waggoner will leave Thursday evening with a party of Pittsburgers for Fort Russel, Wyoming, where she will be the guest of her cousin, Robert E. White of the U. S. Signal Corps.

Mrs. William Darby has gone to Cadiz, Ohio, to visit her daughter Mrs. Robert Wood.

Guy Woodward has gone to Wooster, Ohio, where he will visit relatives.

Fire in Cellar.

The firemen were called out this afternoon at about 1:35 o'clock from Alarm No. 32. A fire in the cellar of the home of Thomas McLean at

was the cause. It was extinguished with scarcely any damage resulting.

Phillips, Lock No. 4, Pa. 306-13

FOR RENT—Rooms at 618 McLean avenue. 307-t3

LOST—On Sunday, a locket engraved (Grace) containing one picture. Finder return to Miss Grace Phillips, Lock No. 4, Pa. 306-13

## CORNS

On the cob are all right, but corns on the feet are certainly out of place.

For corns on your feet we have the only guaranteed cure to be had anywhere at any price. It is

### Rexall Corn Solvent

and it never fails to promptly remove corns painlessly by simply painting on. Hard or soft corns are all alike to this magic corn banisher, under any conditions. Get this if you want to get rid of the

### Corns on Your Feet

## CARROLL'S DRUG STORE

"THE REXALL STORE"

623 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pennsylvania  
Opposite New Post Office

Bad Fire Narrowly Averted.

Boys throwing burning cigarette stubs into a bundle of rags at the old Wilson building at North Charleroi, owned by the Mercantile Bridge company, nearly caused a serious fire on Tuesday. The rags were in one corner of a room. The flames were discovered before any damage was done.

## Classified Ads.

WANTED—Setting hen at once. "Operator," Star Theatre. P

WANTED—A good straight, clean-cut man to take hold of a good clean business proposition. Call at Charleroi Hotel, between 6 and 9 tonight and see Mr. Stephens. 307-tip

WANTED—Day's works at cleaning for washing. Mrs. Scropebach, 1109 Crest avenue. 294-tfp

FOR RENT—Rooms at 618 McLean avenue. 307-t3

LOST—On Sunday, a locket engraved (Grace) containing one picture. Finder return to Miss Grace Phillips, Lock No. 4, Pa. 306-13

## A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS

that will be found in our store this week

All men's \$1.50 fancy dress shirts reduced to 1.15.

All 1.00 and 1.25 men's fancy dress shirts reduced to 75c.

All 3.00 men's soft hats reduced to \$2.

All 2.00 and 2.50 soft hats reduced to 1.00.

3.00 men's Superior union suits 2.50.

2.50 men's Superior union suits 2.00.

2.00 men's Superior union suits 1.50.

1.50 men's Superior union suits 1.00.

1.00 men's Superior, B. V. D., and Porosknit union suits 85c.

All men's black, white and Porosknit two-piece suits, 1.00 grade, now 70c.

All 1.00 and 1.25 boys' knee pants reduced to 80c.

All 50c and 75c boys' knee pants reduced to 40c.

\$20.00 men's suits ..... \$15.00

18.00 men's suits ..... 12.00

15.00 men's suits ..... 10.00

12.00 and 13.50 men's suits ..... 8.00

All new and up-to-date.

Suits made to your measure \$15.00 and up.

## MURDOCK & McCARTY

It's Up to You  
As to whether you get the benefit of  
THIS SHOE HARVEST!

The Shoes are here, the right  
style, and at the right price—

**\$1.00**

Men's Oxfords and Shoes, tan or black, button or lace style, at ..... \$1.00

Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes, all leathers and all styles. Not all sizes, but plenty to pick from at ..... \$1.00

We have them for the boys and girls in all sizes, if you come early, and they are ..... \$1.00

**ADOLPH BEIGEL**

# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

VOL. 10, NO. 30

CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA. WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1912

ONE CENT

## SONS OF ST. GEORGE WILL CONVENE HERE

State Meeting of Order  
to Open in Charleroi  
Next Tuesday.

### PRECEDENT IS BROKEN

"Governor's Town" Selected  
for Convention in Prece-  
dence to Larger Cities

Because they wanted to come to "the town of the governor," Sons of St. George from all over Pennsylvania will be entertained here next week in their biennial convention. One hundred delegates and visitors are expected. The last convention was held in Philadelphia, where it was decided to break the precedent of going to the larger cities and towns for their convention and come to Charleroi.

The sessions of the convention will open Tuesday at Turner Hall. Coroner James T. Heffernan, of Speers who is a member of Tom Bowlin Lodge, No. 366, of Charleroi, the entertaining order will make the welcoming address which will be responded to by one of the State officers. The convention will probably last four days.

Approximately 30 lodges in the State of Pennsylvania will be represented at the convention. In addition to delegates there will be a number of visitors from other states. The first of the incoming hosts expected to arrive not later than Sunday night, when the grand president and probably other of the State officials will be here.

Tom Bowlin Lodge No. 366 of Charleroi has a membership of about 120. The territory represented in the order is that from Roscoe to Webster. M. Wilson of Charleroi is the president; William Meyers, of Belle Vernon, the vice president; John Wright, of Allentown, the recording secretary and John Laverick, of Dunlevy, the financial secretary. C. Wildman is the past president. The order is composed of men of English descent.

One of the features of the convention will be a banquet which will be held on Wednesday evening. This banquet will be the only event of the sessions that will in any sense be open to outsiders. The wives of the members or lady friends, or men contemplating joining the order will be welcomed.

## CHURCH PEOPLE TENDER SURPRISE TO THEIR PASTOR

Several of the Donora parishioners of Rev. E. G. Stanley of the Donora and Charleroi Baptist churches, tendered Rev. and Mrs. Stanley a surprise Tuesday evening. During the afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Stanley entertained two of the Donora folks, and at their request took them to the playgrounds. When they returned they found the house occupied much to their consternation. A pleasant evening was spent with social conversation.

The happy conspirators brought along plenty of edibles and made the dining table fairly groan. They returned home about 11 o'clock by trolley car.

## Tags to be Olive Green

Batch of 75,000 Automobile  
Licenses to be Asked  
for Shortly

With letters in white, is the color combination decided upon for Pennsylvania's automobile tags for next year by State Highway Commissioner E. M. Bigelow. Right now 75,000 will be asked for to be furnished by November 1.

The announcement that the supply of 1913 tags must be furnished by November 1, is an innovation, the date set being considerably earlier than in previous years. This is due to the fact that for weeks before the close of the year the department gets hundreds of applications for tags for the coming year.

## IS ECHO FAYETTE SHOOTING

Three Foreigners are  
Held Under Charges  
of Assault

### HUTCHCRAFT ON DUTY

In the arrest of Peter Vesely, Frank Vesley and John Zozjok at Fayette City Tuesday, there was an echo of the fatal shooting of two men and injury of two others at that place July 4 by Policeman John Hutchcraft. The three men were arrested upon information sworn out by Burgess William Ashton before Justice of the Peace Hamilton. Aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill and interfering with an officer in the discharging of his duty is the charge. The Vesleys pleaded guilty at a preliminary hearing, and were both placed under \$1,000 bond. Zozjok pleaded not guilty and furnished \$500 bond. W. L. Woods, a Fayette county politician went the bail of the Vesleys, and John Grass furnished bail for the other two men.

It looks as if the coroner's jury drawn by Coroner Bell to inquire into the death of Samuel Petros one of the men shot is going to let its verdict go by default. Some of the members of the jury are away on their vacations, and today is the last of the stipulated time for them to reach a decision.

The grand jury will convene in September at Uniontown, and will hear the case against Policeman John Hutchcraft, as well as that against the three foreigners arrested Tuesday. Hutchcraft is now on duty, having apparently recovered from his injuries received in the battle on the Fourth.

Everybody's Drinking it. Keystone Coffee. City Grocery. 10¢-12¢

J. K. Tenex, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

## Your Working Capital

THE Security, Facilities and Prompt, Obliging Service of the First National Bank makes it a wise choice as the Depository for your working capital.

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Open Saturday Evenings from 5:00 to 9 o'clock  
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## RUNNING INTERURBAN CARS BY TELEPHONE INNOVATION PLANNED

Pittsburg Railways Company Representatives Well Pleased With System in West. Company to Put into Effect

As the result of a recent visit to the same as though there were western points by Fred H. Eibs, superintendent of the Washington and Charleroi divisions of the Pittsburgh Railways company and M. J. Marshall, superintendent of transportation, a new system of dispatching trolley cars will likely be put into effect shortly on the Charleroi and Washington interurban lines. This system of operating will be through the use of telephones, much the same as is now in operation along several railroads.

Mr. Eibs was present Tuesday at a newspaper men's dinner at Eldora Park and in a conversation described something of the system which it is proposed to put into effect. Telephone booths will be provided where signal lights are now. Conductors and motormen in making their runs will receive their orders as they go along on their trips from a central dispatchers office. In a sense the result will

be the most of the time on interurban lines, observing things and visiting trolley men. We found that the telephone dispatching system worked well and believe we could copy with good results. Many of the western lines have but one track and the operating is done by telephone. It will probably take some time for the Pittsburgh Railways Company to get a system perfected like the western lines have, but it is the intention I believe to hasten its adoption here."

## CALIFORNIA MAY BE FUTURE SITE CHILDREN'S HOME

Normal School Must Have Children to Teach or Lose State Appropriation-Contract With Borough Expires

That within the next year there will be made an effort to have the children's home of this county, now located near the county home at Arden, removed to California is altogether probable, is the assertion of the Washington Record. It states that although the Normal officials are not talking concerning the matter, they admit that such a move would be of great advantage to that school. It is stated that California Normal will have to face shortly a situation that may, if a remedy is not provided, result finally in the closing of the famous old institution.

According to the school regulations of the State in order for the Normal to secure State support which is necessary for its continuation there must be enrolled in the model school in which the teachers are trained at least 100 pupils. For many years past the Normal School has had arrangements with the public schools of California whereby the children of California were enrolled in the Normal training school instead of in the borough's public school. This agreement expires with the close of the coming school year. California borough, it is stated will refuse to renew the contract, now having in course of construction a modern school plant. This being the case it will be necessary for the Normal school to secure a school of one hundred pupils in some manner. It is declared that officially the Normal school trustees have never taken up the proposition, but several members of the board have not been slow in declaring privately that such an arrangement would suit them thoroughly.

The members of the poor board of

(Continued on second page.)

## J. V. THOMPSON CONCERNED IN BIG COAL DEAL

J. V. Thompson, the Uniontown financier has figured in the biggest coal deal in the history of Greene county, of which announcement was made this week when a deed was filed for the transfer of 1,100 acres of coal in Monongahela township that county. Thompson sells the coal to the Poland Coal company for \$580,000. It is said that the coal property will be developed immediately. The coal land fronts on the Monongahela river, near Greensboro, and the new line of the Monongahela railroad which is just being completed, runs through the property. About 25 acres of surface are included in the deal. It is supposed the coal will be shipped by river when the opening is made.

Married Here Today.  
Miss Jennie Dolfe, daughter of Mrs. Anna Dolfe, of Washington avenue, and Guy Rocini, of Dunlevy, were quietly married this morning at 9 o'clock at Mother of Sorrows Italian Catholic church, with requiem high mass. The couple are well known Italian people.

Special at the Star.  
Another "101 Bison" feature, "The Colonel's Peril." Thursday at the Star. 306-18 points. 307-11

## MASSIVE BRIDGE SPAN IS PUT IN POSITION

### Contract Let For Paving

Charleroi Firm Secures \$7,-  
000 Job at Bentleyville-  
Three Months Limit

Engineering Experiment  
At New Geneva  
Successful

### SPAN CARRIED BY BARGE

Operation Witnessed by Rail-  
road Officials and Thou-  
sands of Sightseers

The contract for the paving of Washington street leading off Main street at Bentleyville, for a distance of 1200 feet has been let to Piper and Hastings of Charleroi, for \$7,048.45. Work will be started within ten days and completed in three months. There were five bidders for the work but Piper and Hastings were the lowest. The other bids were: Frank Manell, Pittsburg, \$8,279.12; Forrest Construction company, Washington, \$7,-580.45; Reitsch Brothers, Washington, \$7,807.52; Donora Construction company, \$8,312.39.

## WRITERS GUESTS AT PARK

Newspaper Men Enter-  
tained at Dinner by  
Eldora Management

### HAVE SOCIAL GOOD TIME

Twenty newspaper men comprising the Monongahela Valley Press Association and a number of specially invited guests were entertained by the Eldora Amusement company at a supper at Eldora Park Tuesday evening. Tom P. Sloan, manager of Eldora Park and Roy S. Sharpnack, assistant manager acted as hosts.

Seasonable delicacies, the most sea-  
sonable of which was ground hog, prepared under the capable direction of Mrs. Sloan and fit to set before a king, were provided for the newspaper palate, and before the hungry on-  
slaught, disappeared with amazing rapidity. Nothing was wanting, the finest of ice cream and cake topping off the meal.

Before the supper the party had a merry time. Goodloe Thomas of the Friday Evening Call, and Joe T. S. Cowan, of the Roscoe Ledger, threw off their dignity to such an extent that they took a trip down the balloon slide. Thomas who, it is alleged, is a politician thought it not politic to go down the second time, but Cowan, safe in his position as "the man who cops the Washington county printing," went down the slide sever-  
al times, much to his own gratification and that of the admiring spectators.

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I have a choice number of building lots laid out in the Esterly Terrace Plan. Buy yourself a nice home on easy payments. Call or address Edward Callaghan, Charleroi, Pa.

307-18

Automobile Bargain. \$650.00.

1910 model 17 Buick 4 doors, 5-  
passenger Touring Car. Painted  
brown by Giesenamp, Pittsburg, last  
fall. Cost fully equipped \$22,00.00.

Can be bought at \$650.00. Inquire at  
once. Bell phone 67-B. D. H. Burland,

Monongahela, Pa. 307-2

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SAFEST HOUSE IN STATE  
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207-18

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clock, you feel pretty sure that  
you have absolutely the correct  
time.

That's because it's our busi-  
ness to know all about the time  
of day, and see that our clock  
tells the truth.

through our business. Every-  
thing we have tells the truth  
means just what it says, and is  
just what it seems to be.

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DISPLAY—Fifteen cents per inch,  
first insertion. Rates for large space  
contracts made known on application.

READING NOTICES—Such as  
business locals, notices of meetings,  
resolutions of respect, cards of thanks  
etc., 5 cents per line.

LEGAL NOTICES—Legal, official,  
and similar advertising including that  
in settlement of estates, public sales,  
five stock estray notices, notices to  
teachers, 10 cents per line, first inser-  
tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-  
sertion.

### LOCAL AGENCIES

C. S. Might.....Charleroi  
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack...Lock No. 4  
J. T. McElroy.....Belle Vernon

**May 31 In American History.**  
1802—Captain John Ericsson, inventor,  
designer and builder of the iron-  
clad Monitor, born in Sweden; died  
in New York 1889.

1816—General George H. Thomas,  
known as the "Rock of Chicka-  
manga," born in Virginia; died in  
San Francisco 1870.

1817—Ephraim Cary, poet, died; born  
1824.

1819—John G. Carlisle, Kentucky  
statesman and secretary of the  
treasury under President Cleve-  
land; died; born 1835.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.**  
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 7:16, rises 4:56. Evening  
stars: Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter.  
Morning star: Saturn.

### CORN IS KING

The spell of heat which made millions  
of us sweat and swear made the  
corn grow. And not wheat, but corn,  
is our great crop. This year we are  
likely to have a bountiful supply of it.  
The sun is worthy of the praise.

Corn is our king and it is raised  
with best fertility out in the West.  
Pennsylvania has a fair corn record  
and has two counties, Lancaster and

Delaware, which are unsurpassed in  
productive power throughout the land.  
The black loam of Kansas—the  
prairie soil that courses through the  
Mississippi—is what corn wants. The  
soil of ages nourishes the seed and the  
stalks grow to extraordinary height;  
but the yield per acre is not so  
great.

Of all cereals corn is the king. But  
corn can be made to grow in the East  
as well as in the West. The best of  
wheat is of a Siberian seed—the  
drum kind; the Spring wheat which  
furnishes us our main supply. And  
wheat is a product of corn. The  
Bible calls corn, wheat. England  
does so to this day. Indian maize  
is unknown abroad.

Yet the royal food so necessary to  
our democratic porker is king in the  
commerce of the country.—Philadelphia  
Press.

### CULTURE

The only panacea for the evils that  
beset the human race is morally and  
only with a higher and better develop-  
ment of the individual culture  
means appreciation of the best peo-  
ple and the best things, and without  
culture there can be no genuine  
contentment.

Our present American civilization  
is stuffed to the bursting point with  
false standards. The average man  
seems to think that the

degree of individual happiness is on-  
ly to be increased by the extent of  
the luxuries a person can afford. To  
have a number of automobiles of the  
latest designs, to own a yacht, visit  
fashionable resorts and try to aston-  
ish the people by richness of raiment  
and extravagance of splendors, is  
the ambition of the vulgar. All that  
is needed to attain that sort of "cul-  
ture" is the money.

But these are not the things that  
people of true culture enjoy. The  
real blessings of life are not expen-  
sive. To admire fine people and ap-  
preciate talent; to become enraptured  
with a good book, a great poem  
or the beauties of nature; to revel  
in the tumultuous thoughts suggest-  
ed by astronomy, geology and evolu-  
tion; to take an active interest in  
the improvement of mankind in gen-  
eral and your community in par-  
ticular; to enjoy music and art, and  
to watch with interest the advance-

ment of science; these are the things  
the only culture that will bring con-  
tentment and cheerfulness.

There is a kind of a sham "cui-  
chah" that drops its "r's" and effects  
ignorance of everything that culture  
implies, that is weak and puerile and  
lackadaisical, which passes with igno-  
rance for the real thing, but is  
as different as a toad from a bird of  
Paradise.

Culture distinguishes between  
the true and the false, the sham and  
the genuine, the good and the vicious.  
It expands our affections, enlarges  
our sympathies, refines our natures  
and reveals to us our relations to  
each other as well as to animals and  
plants.

The barbarian regards it as an  
evidence of culture to wear a ring  
in his nose and a necklace of croco-  
diles' teeth, but they are only evi-  
dences that he is a barbarian. And  
much of that barbarian idea of cul-  
ture lingers in us still, arraying the  
vain and the crude in gaudy colors  
and filling the marts of commerce  
with gilded baubles and absurd  
pomp.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

### ELECTRIC SPARKS

Conducting an automobile tour  
may not be as exhilarating as rowing  
a boat through Venice, but one feels  
safer doing it.

### The Only Way

If he comes to borrow ten,  
I am out.  
Tell him, office boy, again,  
I am out.  
It's the only way to win,  
Or to save my hard-earned tin,  
For if he should find me in,  
I am out.

—Lippincott's.

Hunting for a Bull Moose seems  
to be good sport. The only trouble,  
the game is scarce.

Just at the time when a man feels  
cheerful and wants to tell the world  
how glad he is to be here, his wife  
is sure to ask him if he would mind  
fixing the stove pipe, or mow the lawn  
or beat the rug.

Some girls' idea of economy is  
eating five cent lunches every day  
so they can get enough money to buy  
a willow plume.

In Pittsburg they have what they  
call the "Hungry Club." Members of  
the Monongahela Valley Press Associa-  
tion could give them odds and beat  
them, however, when it comes to a  
real hungry club.

The world anxiously awaits the ac-  
ceptance speeches to learn whether  
Wilson or Taft has the longest.

The third ticket movement seems  
to have at least one very earnest  
supporter. Of course it is Wilson.

The one thing that goes faster than  
a vacation is the money that pays  
for it.

However, it is the Titanic not on any  
Presidential matters.

Congress has been longer getting  
something done this spring and sum-  
mer, than for many summers. Which  
is complimentary to the Washington  
base ball team, a better winner than  
it has ever been for years.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING CALIFORNIA MAY BE FUTURE SITE.

CHILDREN HOME  
CHILDBEARING IS INVITED

(Continued from First Page)

Washington county have as yet heard  
nothing on the matter and R. C. ed Tuesday about 10 o'clock in the  
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that he did not believe that such a  
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accept the chair of Latin in the public  
schools of Hartford, Conn. A teacher  
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department is yet to be elected.

Glad They Told Him.

What it is to be a genuine, single-  
minded egoist is illustrated by an occurrence related by an American who  
spends much of his time in England.

Among his acquaintances is a certain  
great invalid and spends most of his  
time in bed, a fact which, however,  
does not prevent him from receiving  
a great deal of company.

One day while in bed the Britisher,  
according to Harper's Magazine, received  
several guests. They all began to shiver and pull their coats  
about them as they huddled around the  
bed.

"What," exclaimed the invalid, "is it cold here?"

"We are freezing," answered a guest.  
"Thank you for telling me," said the  
distinguished invalid, who thereupon  
rang a bell. The guests supposed that  
he was summoning a servant to build  
a fire, but when his man came in the  
invalid said:

"Mullins, bring me my down cover-  
let."

### School Children Handicapped.

"Fully one-third of all children in  
the primary and grammar grades are  
physically or mentally incapacitated  
or both," says Ruth Calde Darr, in  
an article on "The Child That Is Different," in the Century. "These children,  
approximately one-third of all  
children under fourteen years of age,  
cannot keep up with the ordinary  
school curriculum, which is devised to  
meet the needs of perfectly healthy,  
normal, average, well fed, well cared  
for youngsters."

### In Days Soon to Come.

"How did Jigley meet his fate, any-  
way?"

"I believe some careless fellow aero-  
naut dropped a lighted cigarette stump  
in a bag of Jigley's flying ma-

Standard and

Doings as the Romans Do.

One Christmas day Joseph II, and  
Gustavus III, king of Sweden, who  
had arrived in Rome the previous day,  
attended high mass at St. Peter's. The  
behavior of the emperor was partic-  
ularly decorous, without affectation or  
hypocrisy. The king at first hesitated  
about kneeling, and asked the emperor  
what he should do.

"Do as I do," replied Joseph.

"But I am not of your communion,"  
rejoined the other.

"Well," resumed the emperor, "be-  
lieve what you will, but, as you came  
here of your own choice, you should  
act so as not to scandalize others."

Gustavus took the hint and knelt  
down.

### Commercial Dishonesty.

The London chamber of commerce  
has gathered evidence showing that  
there is a growing disposition to mis-  
represent the nature, origin, quality,  
quantity and value of goods offered for  
sale, both at home and abroad.

### Not a Flattering Opinion.

Bloib—"Does young Dr. Squibb  
know much about medicine?" Bloib  
"Well, I should say that what he  
doesn't know about medicine would  
fill a morgue."

### Truth Eternal.

Truth, like cork, will be uppermost  
at one time, or another, though long  
down in the water.—Isaac Taylor.

Few of Unmixed Descent.  
Only one-tenth of the population of  
the country is of unmixed descent.

## MINER HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

UNDEAD DIG MATE CAN  
UNDER DIG MINE CAR

John Dick, aged 19, a well known  
young man of California, a son of  
Mrs. Mary Dick, was seriously injur-  
ed Tuesday about 10 o'clock in the  
Vesta No. 4 mine. He was sent to a  
Pittsburg hospital. A part of the  
foot will have to be amputated, be-  
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Owing to the illness of the presi-  
dent, W. R. Gaut, council did not  
meet as scheduled in special session  
Tuesday evening, but postponed the  
meeting until Friday night of this  
week. The meeting was to have been  
to finish up left over business and  
take up matters pertaining to a water  
company dispute.

### Funeral Services Thursday.

The funeral of Julian Grable, the  
well known Monongahela man who  
died at Pittsburg Tuesday, will be  
held Thursday at 10 o'clock, with ser-  
vices at the home of F. J. Colvin at  
Monongahela. Interment will be in  
the Maple Creek cemetery.

### SIGNIFICANCE OF SOUTH POLE

Science Will Welcome the Discovery  
So Long Looked For.

ward Te.

At least three branches of science,  
it is hoped, will derive important bene-  
fits from the conquest of the south pole  
—meteorology, geography, and seismology.  
More immediately important than any other result is to be, it is probable, the influence  
of the discovery on meteorology.  
In no long time, as a consequence of the weather maps based upon the fuller knowledge of atmospheric currents in the Antarctic, doubtless brought by Scott and Amundsen, the prediction of the weather will be made a much more exact science. One of the results hoped for is the forecasting of the conditions of the mon-  
soons in India and averting thereby a vast amount of damage to property and loss of life.

To work out the many observations  
pertaining not only to meteorology  
but to the other sciences and to report  
on the collections in detail must, as a  
writer in the London Times points out,  
be the work of years. It is already  
possible, however, to conjecture from the mass of expert information, published here and abroad, regarding Amundsen as well as Scott what are the outlines of a great section of the globe of which only the fringe has heretofore been touched by the ex-  
plorer.—Current Literature.

### To Brighten Old Gilt.

Old gilt, such as the gilded frames  
of chairs or old picture frames and  
mirrors, if they do not require re-  
gilding entirely, may be brightened  
by using an equal mixture of  
three ounces of white of egg and an<br

## JOHN W. GATES AND THE CAB

**Little Gambling Episode in Which "Watch-Me" Was Able to Say "You Lose" Three Times.**

A Gates anecdote, that never got so far as his riding down town from a New York hotel in a cab with a stock market friend.

"I'll match you," said John Watch-me, "to see whether you or I buy this horse and cab from the driver, if it's all."

It was cabby, so they matched, and John Watch-me had the satisfaction of saying, "You lose." The bargain struck, John Watch-me had another proposition to offer the new owner.

"Now I'll match you," he said, "to see whether you keep the outfit or whether you sell it back to cabby at his own price." And once more John Watch-me said, "You lose."

Here it dawned upon Gates' companion that in the last match John Watch-me had stood no chance to lose, whichever way it went, and he made remarks.

"All right," said John Watch-me, "I'll match you to see whether you or I stand the difference between buying and the selling price." For what he had just sold cabby would only give a buying price that was just \$100 less. This was the stake in the last match, and for the third time John Watch-me was able to say, "You lose."

## TWO MULES WITH HISTORY

The Only Hybrids in the Geographical Service Are Sent to Kauai.

Two mules with a history were shipped down to W. B. Hardy on the Island of Kauai recently. He is carrying on the work of the geographical and water research branch of the department there, and it was found that animal transportation was the only way to meet the difficulties.

There were only two mules in that branch of the service and they were over in California. Likewise Hardy was the man who worked them over there when he was on the mainland. Now he and his friends will be re-united on Kauai.

The work of the department on that island is arduous owing to the fact that where the water runs are not always roads. Accordingly, some means have to be found by which the investigator could get about. He has a saddle and pack and can ride the mules as far as he can get them over the tracks, and then do the rest of the work on foot. The work necessitates constant traveling of a rough sort—Honolulu Bulletin.

## MEASURING FISH BY THE EYE

It is Guesswork and Most Men Go Far Astray as to the Length.

Not every man can measure fish accurately by eye. Many people are apt to make their guess too big, and then there are many who, misled by the tapering head and the diminishing tail end of the fish, are apt to make it too small.

Here was a little bunch of men ent fishing for blues, and presently one yelled in a handsome and fair-sized fish. Then somebody started guessing at the length of it and one guessed two feet and another four and still another three feet. Then a man in the boat who was familiar with fishes glanced at this fish and said that he guessed it would measure two feet and a half; whereupon a man in the party who had a tape measure in his pocket got that out and put the tape on the fish; and it actually measured 11 inches.

There was just one man in the boat who could measure a fish accurately by the eye.

### A Nautical Christening.

Some years ago a slow sailing vessel, when some 600 miles from Liverpool, picked up a lusty youngster of five years lashed to a mast.

The captain took a great liking to him, called him his son and decided that the little chap must be christened—one of the few things which he knew must be attended to in the time of children.

Of course there was no chaplain aboard, so the captain himself undertook the ceremony. He gathered the crew about him, and with a mixed knowledge of his duties, he stared about him and asked whether any one knew just cause why the boy should not be christened.

"If there is," he roared, "speak up like a man or forever hold your tongue."

Then he suddenly cracked a bottle of wine over his head and christened him.

The ocean waif is now settled down a steady longshoreman, but he still relates with satisfaction the story of his christening.

### Hints for the Mechanist.

The mechanist who uses shaper and milling machines knows the difficulty when making small parts of squaring thin pieces on account of the trouble

squaring while tightening the vise. To escape these trials, take a piece of thin steel of proper length and breadth, harden, and magnetize. Place this against the fixed jaw of the vise and it will adhere firmly. When the work is brought in contact with it, the small piece will also adhere and the vise can be clamped to the best advantage. The face of the magnetized strip should be kept free of chips and should be recharged frequently.

## ODD WAYS OF THE COMMONS

**Illustrated by the imminent Peril of Mr. Pearce, Who Read News-paper During Session.**

A member of the British parliament remarks in London Opinion that the rules of the house of commons are past all understanding, and then proceeds to cite the case of Mr. Pearce, M. P., and the imminent danger in which he one day appeared to be. This was when the sergeant-at-arms, with his terrible sword in hand, rose from his chair and rushed with cyclonic speed in the direction of the mild, meek and altogether unconscious-of-offense member. It was quickly made clear what was the cause of this hasty saber charge by the sergeant. Mr. Pearce had actually been reading a newspaper, and there is no more heinous offense known to parliament. The members when in the chamber are not permitted to read newspapers for any purpose not immediately connected with the debate actually in progress, though one may succeed in doing it surreptitiously by folding the newspaper and concealing it behind the order paper of the day, much like a boy may nibble at an apple in school, concealing the morsel behind his spelling book. Yet more gross breaches of parliamentary etiquette and decorum may be seen, members even wearing their hats when a fellow member is addressing the house, and even the dearest friends of an orator may go to sleep while he is delivering his choicest periods.

Lamentable Apathy.

In Japan all kinds of Christians are languishing the reigns of stagnation that seems to have set in on the country,

says a writer in America, a Roman Catholic paper. Of the 65,000 Catholics, 40,000 are descendants of the converts of the seven, tenth century, and the Greek Catholics have only 20,000 followers. After 40 years of evangelization there are only somewhere between 30,000 and 50,000 Protestants of all sects," says the writer, who adds that the Japanese are not irreligious, but "like other peoples they are suffering from the religious apathy and unconcern of the times. Just as in Europe and America, the modern Japanese adore the golden calf and, as elsewhere, are struggling for money and place, the natural result of the adoption of a materialistic civilization."

Wellesley College in Lead.

Wellesley college is said to have more graduates in the mission field than any other woman's college in this country. Gertrude Chandler, of the class of 1879, now Mrs. Mychot, was the first Wellesley missionary in the field. She went to Bombay, immediately after taking her degree in the first class graduated from Wellesley. The college is represented in the mission field of every country in Asia with the single exception of Korea. There are Wellesley missionaries scattered through South America, Spain, the Philippines, Mexico and Africa.

Interested in American System.

While visiting Vienna recently, the Shah of Persia, Mahomet Ali, devoted much time to the inspection of great business and manufacturing establishments, and on one of these tours, made under the guidance of a large manufacturer, had with little Prince Mahomet Kiro, they were joined at the office of a newspaper by an American with whom the monarch had entered into earnest conversation. He was deeply interested in what the American told him about commercial affairs in the United States, but what interested him most, said one of the party, was "our electrical system, to which he made searching inquiry."

Like a Dream to Her.

Margaret Audoux, the Paris dreamer, whose book has attracted the attention of great scholars all over the world, worked at her trade for the sum of 40 cents a day. She left the country, and went to Paris with but a few cents in her pocket, and considered herself lucky to have arrived at the dignity of something over half a dollar a day wage. Her book, "Mémoires," made her several gloomy days, and now the poor dreamer may rest from her labors for awhile.

Pomades and Hair Oils.

Some people have such dry hair that they are obliged to use pomades to prevent it from breaking off.

The use of liquid vaseline is highly recommended.

Inferior pomades cause or hasten the loss of hair. Therefore, unless you can procure the very best from a well-known druggist, prepare them yourself.

The grease and the oils which are used, to be preserved from growing rapid, must go through a suitable process. Put in a braun-marie 200 grams of fat or marrow, with six grams of powdered benzoin and six grams of pulverized balm of tolu. Stir constantly with a wooden spatula. After two hours of hard boiling, strain through a bit of linen. Benzoin acid possesses the quality of preventing the fat to which it has been added from becoming rancid.

Fine Winter Vegetable.

We are only just now beginning to have skirrets in our market. This vegetable is an Asiatic one, being known to China and India. It has been favorite in Europe and especially in Paris for 25 years, and has tuberous clustered roots, very white and sweet, and when served with butter they are delicious. It is a most desirable winter vegetable.

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THE WIDE-AWAKE STORE

Woman and Her Check.

She was brisk and full of business. As she hustled into the bank, stepped to a desk, indorse a check and then handed it in at the paying teller's window.

"You see, I've induced it and come to the right window the very first time," she said with a beaming smile. "We women are getting to know a little about banking."

"That's very true, indeed, madam," said the teller, "but this check is not signed by any one."

"Well, I just got it from my husband. He's in Chicago. Here's his letter, telling that he is enclosing it."

"That's all good enough, madam, but the check itself must be signed."

"Here's his name on the letter. Can't you cut it off and paste it on the check?"

"It took the teller some time to explain and he still wonders if she doesn't think he just didn't want her to have the money."

Rise in Russian Lakes.

During the last 20 years the lakes of Russian Central Asia have shown a steady rise of water-level. Within this period, or since 1885, the Sea of Aral has risen about six and a half feet. The phenomenon has accompanied a period of severe rainfall.

Question of Disposition.

Dispossessed Patron—Gentle disposition? Why, he wants to bite the head off every dog he meets. I've been swindled!" Dog Merchant—"You didn't ought to keep dogs at all, mister. The animals you ought to keep with your temperament is silkworms"—Punch.

A Dog Hotel.

Beef bone broth and good, sound food are served in warm, well-aired rooms to the half a hundred or so dogs in the British dog's hotel, near Southampton, where the board of agriculture takes care for a certain length of time of all dogs brought into Britain, so as to make sure that hydrophobia does not creep in.

The Cat Tail.

The cat tail of the American swamps is almost exactly the same plant as the Egyptian bullrush. It is no longer used for making paper as it once was, but from its roots is prepared an astringent medicine, and its stems are used for the manufacture of mats, chair-bottoms and the like.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.

County Judges—J. Add McIlvaine, President Judge, (term expires January, 1917); J. Frank Taylor, Ad Law Judge, (term expires January, 1916).

Prothonotary—A. V. Lewis, Donora, 1916.

Clerk of Courts—W. S. Lockhart McDonald, 1916.

Register of Wills—Boyd C. Marshall, Washington, 1916.

Recorder—J. Chester Sutherland Washington, 1914.

Commissioner—John A. Berry

County Controller—John H. Moffit Charleroi, 1914.

Sheriff—R. G. Lutton, Washington, 1916.

District Attorney—Richard G. Miller, Washington, 1916.

Treasurer—S. M. Downer, Monongahela, 1916.

Houston, 1916; Thomas Hill, Uniontown, 1916; A. P. Barnum, Alford, 1916.

Supt of Schools—L. R. Crumrin Washington, 1914.

Coroner—James Heffran, Speer, 1916.

Director of the Poor—H. D. Brownell, West Brownsville, 1916; R. W. Wolfe, Blaine, 1916; R. C. Buchanan, Washington, 1914.

Jury Commissioner—John W. Dague, West Bethlehem; William Barkley, Nottingham.

County Surveyor—George S. Chapman, Washington, 1906.

County Detective—William McCleary, Monongahela, 1916.

Assembly—John Banks Holland, Cecil, 1912; William Feeney, Charlie, 1912; Charles A. Bentley, Monongahela, 1912.

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Sculptor Receives Decoration.

Albert Jaegers, the sculptor of the Baron von Steuben statue, which was recently presented by the United States to Germany, has been decorated with the Order of the Eagle, fourth class, in recognition of his merit. He was born in Elberfeld, Germany, in 1868, obtaining his education in the public schools. Without wealth or influential friends, he worked away in the face of many discouraging features, until, self-taught in art, he arrived at the point where his creations commanded recognition. He came to this country several years ago to make his home, and he has an attractive place in Buffalo, New York.

Fair and Tidy.

As a ring of 12 in a square sport, so is a fair and tidy man that is worth our discretion.—Proverbs of Solomon, ch. 22.

Incredible.

If a man were paid for doing the things he likes to do he would at once begin to want to do something else.

## Try This For

Vaseline.

Thousands of weak, nervous, run-down men and women have found Wade's Golden Nervine to be the one dependable remedy for nervous debility, neurasthenia, weak heart, insomnia, lack of energy and vitality, and all run-down conditions of the system due to impoverished circulation. This is a real tonic and restorative from anything you have ever used. It contains no alcohol, morphine, opium, or any other narcotic whatever. It soothes and quietes the unstrung nerves, tones the weakened vital organs, and gives that much desired healthful stimulation, without any objectionable ingredients. It is a medical product of the highest class.

All druggists now sell Wade's Golden Nervine at \$1. If you will not get it for you promptly, it will be mailed to any address

# CLEARANCE PRICES ON Summer Necessities

Our July Clearance Sale offers everyone an opportunity to make their dollars work double time.

Our large line of Ladies' and Children's Parasols are all reduced one-fourth to one-third and they run in price from 19c to 4.00; reduced prices range from 12½c to \$3.00

Our line of Vudor Re-inforced Hammocks is easily the best in the valley. Priced 1.75 to 6.00; reduced prices \$1.15 to \$4.75

Grass Mattings, 50c, 60c and 90c; reduced to a yard, 35c, 40c, 65c. So low that you need not leave your porch floor uncovered.

Grass Rugs, all sizes, priced 45c to 9.75. Clearance prices range from 20c to 45c to 95c

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LUTHERANS LET  
WASHINGTONS WIN  
GAME BY DEFAULT

When the time was called for the game at the ball park Tuesday night between the Washington Avenue Presbyterians and the Lutherans, but five players responded for the latter team, and the game was forfeited to the Washington Avenues. An exhibition game was arranged by which spectators were entertained.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

W. A. Pres. 9—Lutherans 0.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
Catholics	7	2	.777
W. A. Pres.	5	3	.625
First Pres.	7	3	.600
Episcopalians	4	4	.500
Methodists	4	5	.444
Baptists	4	5	.444
Lutherans	3	7	.300
Christians	3	7	.300

Games This Week.

Tuesday—Washington Avenues vs. Lutherans.

Wednesday—Catholics vs. Episcopalians.

Thursday—Christians vs. Catholics.

Friday—Methodists vs. Baptists.

### JOE BELL

Best Shoemaker in town. All work guaranteed. When it's worth of work is done, you get a pair of shoes repaired free.

208 Fifth St., Charleroi, Pa.

Shoes repaired while you wait.

### WRITERS GUESTS AT ELDORA PARK

(Continued from first page)

As honor guests Fred Elbs, superintendent of the Washington and Charleroi divisions of the Pittsburg Railways company, J. E. McCurdy, press representative of the company and C. R. Buchanan, local superintendent, were present, and mixed with the newspaper men. At the conclusion of the supper, the party adjourned to the summer home of Manager Sloan, a cottage situated on the park grounds, and there spent the rest of the evening having a social time.

### MISSIONARY CIRCLE MEETS; YOUNG WOMEN PLAN WINTER WORK

The Young Ladies' Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church were entertained at the home of the Misses Jean and Marie Whitehead on Prospect avenue Tuesday evening, when they held their regular monthly meeting. The meeting was led by Miss Genevieve Nutt, who was assisted by Misses Ethel Kendrick, Marguerite Whitlatch, Emma Clutter, Bertha Planton, Minnie Elliott and Elma Collins. A reading was given by Miss Ruth Barnum, of California, who has been a student at the School of Expression at Boston, Mass. A lunch was served. The circle is preparing for a campaign of active work which they hope to undertake the coming winter.

### PREDICTION TRUE; COAL CENTRE MAN RETURNS IN BOX

His prediction that he would be brought home in a box was verified today when the body of Joseph Berkenska was brought to Coal Center. He dropped dead at Dunkirk, O. Monday night. He was born in California 65 years ago. His final words before leaving Coal Center April 1 were: "I expect when I come back again I will be brought in a box."

### CHOIR ORGANIZES FOR ENSUING YEAR

Dr. and Mrs. Wright entertained the members of the choir of the First Baptist church and a few outside friends at their home on Fallowfield avenue Tuesday evening, during which time the choir effected an organization for the ensuing year. A. G. Lewis was elected president; Mrs. C. C. Wright, vice president; Mrs. Samuel Corbet, secretary, and Miss Clara Cooper, treasurer. A music committee consisting of A. G. Lewis, Mrs. Wright and D. C. Whitlatch was appointed, and also a rules committee to consist of Mrs. C. O. Frye, Benjamin Harris, and Floyd Chalfant. A social good time was enjoyed, and an appetizing lunch was served.

Fresh milk 8 cents a quart, skim milk 10 cents a gallon, butter milk 5 cents per quart or 15 cents per gallon, at Oranges. 306-15

### TEACHING CORPS COMPLETE NOW

Three Are Elected to Regular Positions in the Charleroi Schools

### NEW HIGH SCHOOL MAN

All vacancies in the teaching force of the Charleroi Schools have now been filled, the school board at its regular meeting held Tuesday evening, electing the last teachers. One of them was a High School teacher.

Paul T. Landis, who was a teacher in the High School last year, and one of the most popular instructors the local school ever had tendered his resignation, which was accepted. Mr. Landis will engage in other work elsewhere. To succeed him Clyde Haines, of Aliquippa was elected.

Two grade teachers were elected: Miss Margaret McAllister, of Roscoe and Miss Laura B. Kahl, of Finleyville. At a previous meeting held a few days ago, Miss Sprouts, of Midway and Miss Margaret Fallow of Roscoe, were elected to places. It is expected that the entire list of teachers, together with the grades in which they will teach will be announced in a few days.

Little was done by the school board except to elect the three new teachers. The new school building was discussed to some extent. A. P. Cooper, the architect was not present, and the discussion of new school matters was brief.

### COLLEGE GRADS GET CERTIFICATES

State Educational Authorities Busy Giving Out Teacher's Credentials

### CHANGES BY NEW CODE

W. C. Schaeffer, of the Department of Public Instruction, is kept busy at his office at Harrisburg these days issuing teacher's certificates on college diplomas. Under the new school code a college graduate without experience can secure a provisional teachers' certificate good for three years. If he has taught the college diploma will then entitle him to a permanent certificate. Diplomas and applications are being received now in large numbers at the Department of Public Instruction. There must be evidence that each college graduate has received at least two hundred hours instruction in the science of pedagogy, otherwise he cannot get the coveted certificate. Pittsburg teachers are among those most anxious to secure these certificates as they must either present them to the local board on the first of August or take an examination.

Under the provisions of the new school code no one can be legally teaching in Pennsylvania unless he has first had his certificate registered by the superintendent under whom he teaches. This is very general, understood in the cities, but some of the rural districts have been slow in meeting this requirement.

### LOCAL MENTION

Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. George S. Might, who are abroad. They have lately been visiting in Paris.

Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, formerly pastor of the Tiffin, Ohio, English Lutheran church, with Mrs. Frontz visited a short while Tuesday in Charleroi with friends.

Prof. James G. Pertz, superintendent of the Charleroi schools, with Mrs. Pertz and children have been visiting in Reynoldsville, and various points in Jefferson county, returned home Tuesday afternoon, much refreshed by their three weeks vacation. Prof. Pertz is looking fine after his trip, and states he is ready to take up his school work with renewed vigor.

Byron E. Tombaugh, Esq., of Washington is to have charge of the practice of D. M. McCloskey, Esq., while the latter is abroad. Mr. Tombaugh is to make regular weekly visits to Charleroi every Tuesday, and, with the assistance of Mr. McCloskey's stenographer, Miss Elizabeth Fitz-

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Miss Hazel Castor who has been employed as a trimmer at Dawson's millinery store, left today for Princeville, Missouri, where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Nathan Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves and J. L. Reeves took an automobile trip to Carmichaels Tuesday, where they were the guests for the afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts.

Fred Oatman will leave in the morning for New York where he will visit his brother-in-law. Mrs. Oatman is now in New York and will return with her husband.

Miss Harriet Waggoner will leave Thursday evening with a party of Pittsburgers for Fort Russel, Wyoming, where she will be the guest of her cousin, Robert E. White of the U. S. Signal Corps.

Mrs. William Darby has gone to Cadiz, Ohio, to visit her daughter Mrs. Robert Wood.

Guy Woodward has gone to Wooster, Ohio, where he will visit relatives.

### Fire in Cellar.

The firemen were called out this afternoon at about 1:45 o'clock from Alarm No. 32. A fire in the cellar of the home of Thomas McDaniel was the cause. It was extinguished with scarcely any damage resulting.

FOR RENT—Rooms at 618 McLean avenue. 307-13

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